

Quiz over chapters 1-6 in *The Giver*

1. Why does the author, Lois Lowry, choose not to discuss the specifics of the setting like time and place?
2. What are the two daily family rituals and what is their purpose?
3. What happens at age 1 and at age 12 for all members of the society?
4. Give four times in which people are released.
5. Give two examples of choices people in this community don't have?
6. What purpose is behind the desensitizing pills everyone begins to take during adolescence?
7. What role do animals have in this community?
8. Give two examples which imply that Jonas is smarter than most?
9. Briefly describe Asher. Why does the author choose him to be one of Jonas' close friends?
10. What is the governing body of this community? What type of government exists here? Does change happen?